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TO AMEMBASSY NAIROBI IMMEDIATE

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EXDIS/KOOLAIID FOR MOOSE ONLY FM WISER

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PEPR

SUBJECT: RHODESIAN NEGOTIATIONS

1. JOHN ROBINSON CALLED CHRIS AND SAID THAT IT WOULD HELP DAVID OWEN TO KNOW WHETHER THOSE ON OUR KENYATTA FUNERAL DELEGATION HAVE BEEN READ INTO THE RECENT DEVELOPMENTS. CHRIS TOLD HIM THAT YOU HAD BEEN READ IN AND THAT YOU WOULD BE BRIEFING ANDY EN ROUTE TO NAIROBI.

2. ROBINSON ALSO SAID THAT DAVID OWEN WOULD PROBABLY BE WANTING TO MEET ALONE WITH JOSHUA. HE SAID HE ASSUMED THAT ANDY AND YOU MIGHT BE WISHING TO MEET ALONE WITH NYERERE.

3. ROBINSON SAID HE HAD NO NEW REPORTS OF SIGNIFICANCE, AND AGREED WITH MY CHARACTERIZATION THAT RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN SALISBURY ARE NOT PROMISING.

4. THE SECRETARY RETURNS EARLY THURSDAY AFTERNOON AUGUST 31 WASHINGTON TIME. YOU MIGHT WISH TO KEY ANY  
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REPORTING YOU PLAN TO MAKE TO THAT TIME.

CHRISTOPHER

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